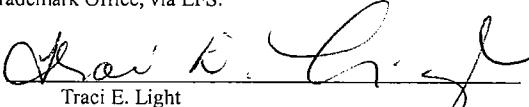


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Applicants respectfully request entry of the following.

While the claims have not been amended, a listing of the pending claims is enclosed, for the Examiner's convenience, beginning on page 2.

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